

1876

(1847 - 1922) Alexander Graham Bell
Distinguished for his invention of
the telephone. Born in Edinburgh,
Scotland. Educated in Edinburgh and
at London University. To Canada (1870)
obtained a professorship in Boston
University and began experiments which
resulted in the invention of the
telephone, which he patented in
1876. Professor Bell was always

been active in scientific investigation.
His work in the instruction of deaf-mutes
has been of especial value. Among his
other inventions are the graphophone
and the photophone. He gave
much study to aerial navigation.
Under his influence, the magazine
"Science" was founded (1880). Some of his
work led to the development of the
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